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Applicant: Maxine C. Thome et al.

Examiner: John A. Ward

Serial No.: 09/929,827

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Title: LIGHT GUARD

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- ☒ Transmittal Sheet containing Certificate of Mailing (1 pg.).
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- ☒ Communication Re: Submission of Corrected Drawing (1 pg.); One (1) Substitute Formal Drawing;
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COMMUNICATION RE: SUBMISSION OF CORRECTED DRAWING

Official Draftsperson

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir/Madam:

Submitted herewith is one (1) formal corrected drawing, Figure 8, for completion of this application and in compliance with the requirements of the Non-Final Office Action mailed October 1, 2002. A proposed corrected drawing of Figure 8 was approved by the Examiner in an Office Action mailed March 5, 2003.

The Examiner is invited to contact the Applicants' representative at the below-listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this Communication.

Respectfully submitted,

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